

# maryland highlights for 2004

Numbers of Farms	12,100
Average Size Farm - Acres	169
Land in Farms - Acres	2,050,000
Gross Farm Income	\$2,058,779,000
Farm Production Expenses	\$1,056,777,000
Total Net Farm Income	\$587,940,000
Gross Farm Income Per Farm	\$170,147
Net Farm Income Per Farm	\$48,590

## *Poultry, Livestock and Products*

<i>Commodity</i>	<i>Marketing Production</i>	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Cash Receipts<sup>1</sup></i>
Broilers	1,366,100,000	lbs.	\$628,406,000
Milk	1,162,000,000	lbs.	196,010,000
Cattle & Calves	85,948,000	lbs.	73,577,000
Hogs	18,387,000	lbs.	9,577,000
Eggs	843,000,000	eggs	45,737,000
Sheep and Lambs	1,326,000	lbs.	1,343,000
<b>Total Poultry, Livestock &amp; Products</b>			<b>\$1,010,666,000</b>

## *Crops*

<i>Commodity</i>	<i>Acres Harvested</i>	<i>Production</i>	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Cash Receipts<sup>1</sup></i>
Corn for Grain	425,000	65,025,000	bu.	\$120,191,000
Soybeans	495,000	21,285,000	bu.	112,155,000
Corn for Silage	60,000	1,200,000	tons	---
Tobacco	1,100	1,870,000	lbs.	2,292,000
Wheat	145,000	8,555,000	bu.	27,565,000
Hay, All	215,000	570,000	tons	21,121,000
Barley	39,000	2,847,000	bu.	3,151,000
Sorghum for Grain	4,000	336,000	bu.	---
Sorghum for Silage	1,000	8,000	tons	---
Potatoes	4,600	1,196,000	cwt.	9,943,000
Vegetables	---	---		49,841,000
Greenhouse/Nursery	---	---		360,396,000
Apples	---	34,000,000	lbs.	5,288,000
Peaches	---	8,800,000	lbs.	2,289,000
<b>Total All Crops<sup>2</sup></b>				<b>\$732,691,000</b>
<b>Total All Commodities<sup>2</sup></b>				<b>\$1,743,357,000</b>

<sup>1</sup> Preliminary estimates by the Economic Research Service, USDA.

<sup>2</sup> Total includes other commodities not published separately.

## *Counties Ranked By Production*

<i>Commodity</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>
Corn, Grain	Queen Anne's	Kent	Worcester	Carroll	Talbot
Soybeans	Queen Anne's	Dorchester	Caroline	Talbot	Kent
Barley	Caroline	Frederick	Queen Anne's	Carroll	Kent
Wheat	Queen Anne's	Caroline	Kent	Talbot	Dorchester
Tobacco	St. Mary's	Charles	Calvert	Anne Arundel	Prince George's
All Hay	Frederick	Garrett	Carroll	Washington	Harford
Milk	Frederick	Washington	Carroll	Harford	Kent